TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



HB 1801 - SB 1755

March 22, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Makes certification by the Peace Officers Standards and Training (POST) Commission optional for deputies serving as security at county courthouses.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §5-7-108, counties are currently authorized to appoint persons or companies to serve as security to county courthouses in lieu of sheriff's deputies.
- Counties electing to use the sheriff for courthouse security will be assigned the necessary number of deputies. Sheriff's deputies currently hold POST-certifications.
- Making POST certification optional for deputies serving as courthouse security will not significantly affect the operations of local governments and will not result in a significant fiscal impact.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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